PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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TO: PARTIES OF RECORD IN APPLICATION 00-11-038 ET AL.

Enclosed is a Draft Alternate Decision of President Peevey to the draft decision of Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Mattson previously mailed to you.

When the Commission acts on the draft decisions, it may adopt all or part of them as written, amend or modify them, or set them aside and prepare its own decision. Only when the Commission acts does the decision become binding on the parties.

As set forth in Rule 77.6, parties to the proceeding may file comments on the enclosed alternate no later than 5:00 pm on January 2, 2004. An original and four copies of the comments with a certificate of service shall be filed with the Commission's Docket Office and copies shall be served on all parties on the same day of filing. Anyone filing comments shall electronically serve those on the service list who have provided electronic addresses. Parties shall also ensure that they electronically serve their comments on President Peevey's advisor, Julie Fitch, at jf2@cpuc.ca.gov and the assigned ALJ Mattson, at bwm@cpuc.ca.gov. For those who have not provided electronic addresses, printed copies of the comments shall be served by first class mail or other expeditious mode of delivery. No reply comments will be accepted.

/s/ Angela K. Minkin, by psw Angela K. Minkin, Chief Administrative Law Judge

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Enclosure